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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): Glenn Jacobsen; Mario Matkovich

For (title): MATERIAL HANDLING SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PRODUCTS MANUALLY  
PROCESSED

1. Type of Application

This application is for a continuation.

2. Benefit of Prior U.S. Applications (35 U.S.C. §§ 119(e), 120, or 121)

The new application being transmitted claims the benefit of prior U.S. applications. Enclosed are  
ADDED PAGES FOR NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF PRIOR  
U.S. APPLICATIONS CLAIMED.

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**3. Papers Enclosed**

**A. Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. § 1.153 (Design) Application**

18 Page(s) of Specification  
6 Page(s) of Claims  
2 Sheet(s) of Drawing(s)--Formal

**B. Other Papers Enclosed**

2 Page(s) of declaration and power of attorney  
1 Page(s) of abstract

**4. Additional Papers Enclosed**

Information Disclosure Statement (37 C.F.R. § 1.98)

2 Page(s) of Form PTO/SB/08A  
6 Citations

**5. Declaration or Oath**

Enclosed  
Not executed.

**6. Inventorship Statement**

The inventorship for all the claims in this application is the same.

**7. Language**

English

**8. Assignment**

Assigned to P & G Developments Pty Ltd. Assignment will follow.

**9. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. § 1.16)**

Regular Application										
CLAIMS AS FILED										
								Basic Fee 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a) \$750.00		
Number Filed			Number Extra			Rate				
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Total Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(c))		33	–	20	=	13	x \$	18.00	= \$	234.00
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Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b))		6	–	3	=	3	x \$	84.00	= \$	252.00
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Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(d))							\$	280.00	\$	0.00
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Filing Fee Calculation								\$1,236.00		

**10. Assertion of Small Entity Status**

Applicant hereby asserts status as a small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

Filing Fee Calculation (50% of above Filing Fee Calculation) \$618.00

**11. Fee Payment Being Made at This Time**

Not Enclosed

No filing fee is to be paid at this time.

**ADDED PAGES FOR APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S.  
APPLICATIONS CLAIMED (37 C.F.R. § 1.78)**

**12. Relate Back**

Amend the specification by inserting, before the first line following the title, the following sentence:

**A. 35 U.S.C. Sections 120, 121 and 365(c)**

"This application is a continuation of copending International Application PCT/AU02/00213 with an international filing date of February 27, 2002, which is hereby incorporated by reference."

**B. Publication of International Application—Provisional Application**

The international application corresponding to the instant application was published under PCT Article 21(2) in the English language.

**13. Relate Back--35 U.S.C. Section 119 Priority Claim for Prior Application**

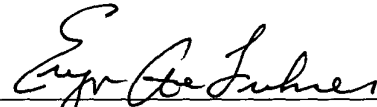
The prior U.S. application(s), including any prior International Application designating the U.S., identified above in the section entitled, "Relate Back--35 U.S.C. Sections 120, 121 and 365(c)," in turn itself claim(s) foreign priority(ies) as follows:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application Number</u>	<u>Filed</u>
Australia	PR3403	02/27/2001

The certified copy is attached.

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